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AND POLYARYLENE COMPOSTITIONS THEREFROM

Docket No. : 62750A **Customer No.** : 00109

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Sir:

RESPONSE

Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated March 23, 2009, please amend the claims as detailed hereinafter.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.